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THE WEATHER

Cloudy, occasional showers, colder tonight. Saturday cloudy, rain and much colder.

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Cannon Here for Lime Meeting At Barlow Tonight

Missouri Pacific Vice-President Guest At Rotary Luncheon

EL DORADO SENDS 4

Good Will Ambassadors Appear At Club Luncheon Today

The principal speakers at tonight's agricultural banquet, which will be held at 7 o'clock in the Barlow hotel, were the guests of Hope Rotary club at luncheon today.

John Cannon, vice-president and general manager of the Missouri Pacific, who is to be the honor guest tonight, told the Rotarians at noon: "We of the Missouri Pacific know that our railroad serves an almost exclusively agricultural country. It is to our best interests to do everything we can to promote agricultural prosperity in Arkansas and in Hempstead county—and you can count on us for co-operation always."

"The growth of this territory in the last 30 years has been remarkable. The Missouri Pacific has a better railroad, because this is a better section, today."

Meeting Tonight

Tonight's meeting, staged by the agricultural committee of Hope Chamber of Commerce, will celebrate the arrival of the first full trainload of lime fertilizer ever to be moved in Arkansas. It is being shipped here for distribution to Hempstead county communities and other points well within the Hope territory.

Other Missouri Pacific representatives present at the Rotary luncheon were: Agricultural Agent Stinson, Division Supt. W. E. Lamb, General Manager E. H. McReynolds, and others.

Stanley Andrews, editor of the Arkansas Farmer, who is to speak tonight, was also present today noon. C. A. Overstreet, president of Magnolia A. & M. college, another speaker tonight, is expected to arrive this afternoon.

The local luncheon was featured by a double program, the other half being given by a party of good will ambassadors from the El Dorado club, headed by President R. N. Benson, and including, Tarleton Phillips, Lew Stephan and Dr. J. G. Mitchell.

Greetings From El Dorado

Mr. Benson extended the greetings of the oil city to Hope, and told of Rotary activities in Union county, including the inauguration of a student loan fund by the El Dorado club. He also thanked Hope for the recent appearance of President E. F. McFaddin of the local club before El Dorado in a Rotary speech.

Tarleton Phillips made an inspirational speech on Rotary, which was well received.

The El Dorado party inspected the Kraft-Phoenix cheese factory here before returning home this afternoon.

Wardens Are Busy During Past Month

Total of 281 Arrests Over State for Game Law Violations.

LITTLE ROCK, Dec. 6.—State game wardens made 281 arrests in November for violations of various hunting and fishing laws, it was said yesterday at the office of the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission, following compilation of reports from wardens. Convictions were obtained in 227 cases, 22 cases had not been tried and the defendant appealed in six cases, leaving 19 cases in which the defendants were acquitted. Arrests in November, 1928, totaled 205, with 182 convictions, and in November, 1927, 177 arrests and 136 convictions.

Fines imposed in November, totaled \$4,903. Four nonresident hunters were arrested on charges of hunting with resident licenses, their game and licenses confiscated and fines of \$25 each imposed upon them. Five coons and 39 opossums were liberated during the month.

For game and illegal tackle seized during November included the following: Opossum pelts, 417; coon pelts, 84; skunk pelts, 49; mink, 16; otter, two; muskrat, four; ducks, 45; mallard, 4; wood duck, three; nests, three; snakes, three; deer hides, two; deer, one; bobcat, one; fox, two; steel traps, 83; skinned opossum, seven.

Sweet potatoes averaged 110 bushels to the acre in Alabama this year.

More than 125,000 acres of Persian walnuts are in bearing in California.

16 Shopping Days to Christmas!



Woman Sued for Wife's Estrangement



Mrs. Joan Sawyer Rentschler, left, former dancing partner of the late Maurice and of Rudolph Valentino, has been charged in a suit for \$100,000 with alienating the affections of Mrs. Martha Wiegand, right, wife of Paul Wiegand, Hamilton, O., business man. The latter charges that Mrs. Rentschler's association with his wife has influenced her to sue for divorce. Mrs. Rentschler, who is remembered by Broadway as the beautiful Joan Sawyer, now is the wife of a wealthy Ohio manufacturer.

U. S. Farmer Whips Pestering Dragons

In Order To Make His Crop Must Battle Daily Against Army.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—St. George, who polished off one dragon and annexed a historical reputation for it, gets the horse laugh from the American farmer.

That gentleman battles billions of dragons every day for his living. How many dragons the farmer has to fight with was shown by the huge heaps of publications exhibited in and distributed from a special booth of the United States department of agriculture at the 1929 International Livestock exposition here.

To save his crops and his stock, one learns from these publications, the farmer has to fight daily against an army of chalcids flies, bagworms, wireworms, rootworms, grubworms, jointworms, cutworms and many other worms. Too, there are a host of bacilli such as those of tuberculosis, blackleg, and dozens of other diseases, to say nothing of lice and mites and ticks.

Besides, he has to battle with the weather at lambing time, and at calving time, and when his big crop is being born into a cold world, as well as at harvest time when storms may ruin his whole year's crop.

And, scattered through his pastures is grass in which are concealed poison weeds which may kill his stock. Billions of these enemies move upon him every day and night.

That he wins these battles, however, sometimes pretty gloriously, is indicated in the exhibits of fine fat stock with curly hair and in the crops that filled the bins of the exposition.

Tularaemia Victim Sent To Hospital

Disease Contracted From Rabbits Seriously Affects Man

POPULAR BLUFF, Mo., Dec. 6.—The second case of tularaemia, a fever contracted from handling infected rabbits was reported at a hospital here this afternoon after doctors had studied the case of Hal Taylor, of Knobel, Ark., brought here a week ago. Tyler's condition is serious. He also is suffering from pneumonia.

Dr. S. Roberts of Bloomfield brought to a hospital here four weeks ago was found to be suffering from the rare disease. He is recovering. Both cases, doctors say, are believed to have started from broken rabbit bones sticking into fingers of the two men while they were cleaning the rabbits.

El Dorado Man To Texas for Trial

Charged With Threatening Woman At Texarkana In Letter

LITTLE ROCK, Dec. 6.—(AP)—Governor Parnell today granted the requisition of Governor Moody, of Texas, for the return to Austin, Texas, of W. R. Cotton, El Dorado, to answer to a charge of sending a threatening letter to a woman at Texarkana, Texas.

Cotton is alleged to have threatened the life of the woman who identity was not disclosed in the petition for the requisition.

Hard To Secure Murder Case Jury

Regular Panel Exhausted, Court Orders Special Venire Summoned

NEWPORT, Dec. 6.—(AP)—An extra panel of 12 veniremen was called today in an effort to complete the jury in the trial of George Johnson, former Jackson county deputy sheriff, for the fatal shooting of Glen Quay, 22, when he tried to escape following his arrest by Jackson on a charge of intoxication and disturbing the peace.

Seven jurors were chosen yesterday before the panel of 28 was exhausted. Then Judge Marcus Bone ordered the extra panel to appear.

Feeling against the officer ran high following the shooting which occurred when Quay ran after the officer attempted to place him under arrest.

Mexico's Chief Is Hot Springs Guest

Comes To Spa To Recuperate After Strenuous Fight In Campaign

HOT SPRINGS, Dec. 6.—(AP)—President-elect Pascual Ortiz Rubio of Mexico, arrived in Hot Springs at 2:50 today to take a rest after his strenuous campaign which resulted in his election to the presidency.

Rubio had hoped to visit incognito in the city but his plans were revealed while he was en route. However, he will not be feted and entertained because of his expressed desire for rest.

With the president-elect were his wife and children, Gen. Perez Trevino, Senora Trevino, secret service men and secretary of the Embassy at Washington.

It is not known how long they will remain here.

Former Governor Named In Land Title Suit

FAYETTEVILLE, Dec. 6.—(AP)—A suit to quiet title to land in this county has been filed by Mrs. Anna E. Horton, in which the second governor of Arkansas after this state was admitted to the Union, Governor Archibald Yell, and his heirs are made defendants.

Mrs. Horton contended she acquired title to the land which she described on May 1, 1916, and asks that an error in a trust deed, executed by Jeremiah Ogil to William Skelton be corrected.

The Yell heirs were made defendants as the property once belonged to Governor Yell.

He was governor of Arkansas from 1840 to 1844.

Palmer and Associates Buy Morning Newspaper

HOT SPRINGS, Dec. 6.—(AP)—The Hot Springs Sentinel-Record, morning newspaper, today passed into the hands of Southern Newspapers, Inc., headed by C. E. Palmer, publisher of the Hot Springs News Era, and publication of both morning and afternoon papers will be continued.

Negotiations for the transfer were completed at noon today Mr. Palmer announced, the Sentinel-Record having been purchased from John B. Higgins who had published it for more than 20 years. Marion Riggs, former publisher of the News Era and business manager of the paper since Palmer took it over, is secretary-treasurer of the new organization.

New Pink Shoes for Big He-Men

LONDON, Dec. 6.—(AP)—Blue and pink shoes will be worn by the well-dressed man this season, exhibitors at the annual shoe and leather fair here know their footwear.

Besides the pink and blue innovations for the male foot of fashion, several manufacturers are showing men's shoes of black and white striped leathers and other intricate color combinations.

Time Tried Frauds Still Open Purses

Old-Fashioned Schemes Get Money Where New Ones Prove Failure.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—(AP)—During these banner months for swindlers, new and untried frauds have made little headway against the popular old fashioned schemes.

The most skillful tricks in financial juggling, lately uncovered by the National Better Business bureau, vary by certain details but fall naturally into a very small number of general classes.

A diligent search for something new in the world of fraud yields practically nothing.

"How to make money without working too hard for it," covers most of the schemes, although a smaller family belongs to the "how to be healthy" division and to similar ways of approach to swindle in its myriad variations.

Instant buying by the general public is thought to have led many into the net of swindlers. If commodities could be bought with a small initial payment, why not securities?

During the past few years many millions, in excellent securities have been offered to purchasers, particularly to employees, on the installment plan.

But along came a swarm of dishonest promoters who seized on the idea as an excellent one for the purpose of selling worthless certificates.

Small investors, says the National Better Business bureau, were persuaded to contract for the purchase of stocks above their value by the fact that the first payment was a small one.

Arkadelphians Kick On Too Much Fire Whistle

ARKADELPHIA, Ark., Dec. 6.—(AP)—The Arkadelphian fire siren a whistle capable of lusty blasts, weird and alarming, is being used for other purposes than warning the residents of fire.

In fact, so common has become the use for purposes other than warning of fires that when the whistle shrieked the other day, the Arkadelphian Siftings-Herald declared editorially that the only comment heard was, "Now, who is having a meeting today?"

"The city council should refuse to allow the big whistle to be blown for any purpose except to warn of fire," the editorial continued. "If the city officials expect to ever enforce the law requiring vehicles to run to the curb and stop when the fire alarm sounds, that body must take a stand against the promiscuous blowing of the siren."

Russian Storm U. S. Consulate In Protest

WARSAW, Poland, Dec. 6.—(AP)—Communists stoned and smashed windows of the United States consulate general here Thursday night in protest against American's Kellogg pact renouncing to Soviet Russia.

Police dispersed one group, arrested three, but the communists gathered again before the consulate general, firing shots and throwing stones.

No one was hurt. The consular staff had left for the day.

Other communist demonstrations were held before the government building and the prison.

Truck Hits Wagon, Three Badly Hurt

Truck Driver Says Not See Wagon Until Too Late To Avoid Crash

PARAGOULD, Dec. 6.—(AP)—Three persons were injured, one critically, in a collision between a truck and a wagon on Highway No. 1, two and one-half miles north of this city, late last night.

George Bybee, sitting on the side of the truck, was taken to a hospital, bones in both legs broken below the knees. Arthur Smith, another occupant of the truck, was slightly injured.

The truck was driven by Alfred Bowen, 15, who claimed the wagon had no lights and that he did not see it until it was too late to avoid the crash.

The wagon was practically demolished and one of the mules was badly hurt. Both wagon and truck were going south.

Wife of Byrd's Vanished Aide



"My husband's return from the dead has no interest for me," said Mrs. Richard G. Brophy, pictured above, when she learned that her husband, former second-in-command of the Byrd South Pole expedition, who embarked a "suicide" in New York last summer, had been found working under an assumed name on an Omaha, Neb., newspaper. Meanwhile a new search was started for Brophy, shown below who disappeared again after being reported en route to New York.

Highway 67 Being Used Temporarily

Should Weather Turn Bad Portion Will Be Closed

Highway 67 between Hope and Prescott, major portion of which has been under construction for some time, is open to traffic today, according to announcement by highway officials this morning. It will be used unless rain should start falling, in which event that part between the artesian wells east of Emmett and Prescott will be closed.

This, however, will be but a small matter as the detour there is in good condition and can be used without any inconvenience.

Poker History of Northwest Next

Writer Sees New Approach To Real Story of Pioneers

CREAT FALLS, Mont., Dec. 6.—(AP)—Writers have sought various approaches to western pioneer history. Some have used the covered wagon as a theme, others have stressed violent days and still more have built their yarns on gold rushes. But Ferdinand Reyher, New York writer, has a new approach which may come nearer to pioneer life than all the others—a history of poker.

Reyher proposes to write Montana's poker history and is here gathering material. He feels that a chronological tale of that historic game in this historic state will go farther towards revealing hidden springs of pioneer progress than any other source of information.

Among other things, the book will contain the classic incident of the eastern temperance wagon \$100 in bill, and demanding a stack of tens in a battle poker game. One old settler gave the loudmouthed easterner, the "tin and down" and remarked contemptuously "Give the Gentile-man a white chip."

Michigan Woman Leaves Ford \$100 In Her Will

YPSILANTI, Mich., Dec. 6.—(AP)—Emily Ford, a legacy of \$100 under the terms of a will of Mrs. Florence Smalley-Baugh, 82, who died here recently.

Mrs. Smalley-Baugh, member of a pioneer family, was a historian and collector of antiques. She was deeply interested in Ford's American industry at Dearborn.

Trouble In Haiti Serious Opinion Secretary Stimson

Martial Law Order Tended To Restore Quiet Is Report

HIGH OFFICERS ACT

Step Taken By American High Commissioner In the Republic

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—(AP)—The situation in Haiti which led to the proclamation establishing martial law was described today by Secretary Stimson as to be regarded as "extremely serious."

His attitude is taken because of the popular excitement and the danger of an outbreak of the irresponsible element.

Brigadier General Russell, American High Commissioner in Haiti, today called Secretary Stimson that the proclamation of martial law on the afternoon of December 4 "had a good effect on both Americans and Haitians in quieting the situation."

Details were not available but it was indicated that Secretary Stimson might reveal more of the situation at a press conference later in the afternoon.

Blease and Heflin Refuse Subpoena

Will Not Appear Before Capital Grand Jury In Murder Case.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—(AP)—Two Southern senators—Blease of South Carolina and Heflin of Alabama—today raised the question of congressional immunity to stand between them and a subpoena to testify before a District of Columbia Grand Jury.

Blease flatly declined to appear in response to a subpoena to tell the jury what he might know about the death of Detective Sergeant Arthur Scrivener three years ago. Heflin also refused to testify but in a letter to District Attorney Leo A. Hovver he gave the name of a government clerk whom he said had given him his information about the case.

The "South" Carolinian, summoned to appear today, was cited to Justice Peyton Gordon by the jury when he failed to come. Blease based his refusal, he said, upon the failure of the Grand Jury to return an indictment in the McPherson case.

Heflin said he did not think, in view of his letter, that it would be necessary for him to appear, but, he added "if they try to intimidate me, I will get out on the floor and fight them."

Hope Men Planning Big Resort Hotel

Westmoreland and Associates Favor Mineral Springs Proposition.

MINERAL SPRINGS, Dec. 6.—There is now a strong probability that the Cook property adjacent to the springs in this city will be soon developed into a health resort, the erection of a hotel being the first thing under consideration.

Westmoreland, a Hope hotel proprietor, in the proposition, and he was here last week, conferring with business and professional men of the town and looking the situation over, with the possibilities here, and stated that he would return to Hope and propose to become associated with make a favorable report to those who him in the business.

Goodfellows Plan Drive Next Week

Mrs. Arch Moore Will Aid In Making Purchases for Kiddies

The annual Goodfellows drive at the Christmas season here will open and be concluded next week, according to plans announced today. The drive will be along the same lines as heretofore, funds collected to be expended in the purchase of Christmas things for needy children.

Mrs. Arch Moore, who each year aids the Goodfellows said yesterday she was ready to take up that most pleasant of duties again, saying the work this year would be enlarged by co-operating with the United Charities organization here.

Any contributions of clothing, shoes, or the necessities will be received but will be turned over to the Charities organization for distribution. The Goodfellows at this time simply want to make certain that every child in Hope enjoys the Christmas-time and work consistently to that end.

Vare Denied Seat In U. S. Senate

Cleared of Wife's Excessive Debt



In a decision "to check extravagance and protect husbands," the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, has excused Representative George Huddleston, above, of Alabama, of liability for a \$245 debt for furs bought by his wife. The Congressman said he had given his wife \$75 a month for personal expenses and had forbidden her to pledge his credit.

Crime Fighting Methods Shown In Chaney Film

"While the City Sleeps," a vivid drama of life in the raw, of the continual warfare between the underworld of New York and its police force, is Lon Chaney's newest starring vehicle, a Metro-Goldwyn-Mayor production which comes to the New Grand theatre Saturday.

Chaney plays a role entirely new to him, appearing as a plainclothes detective, pitted against a vicious gangster band, in a story that gives an intimate "inside" view of police methods in fighting crime. Thrills and adventures abound. There is a breath-taking machine gun battle secret midnight raids, alley murders, revenge and intense drama.

Woven through the adventures is also a charming romance of a young girl loved by both the detective and a gangster. How the gangster is saved and turned from his pursuit of crime into a peace-loving and law-abiding citizen, through the efforts of the detective in order that the girl might know happiness, gives surprising heart-appeal to the picture.

Such police operations as the "shadow box" for criminals and the detective "lineup" are among the graphic details of the action in police headquarters. The machine gun battle and the running fight on the roofs of the city are among the most dramatic highlights of the absorbing and powerful story.

Guard Company To Hold Annual Event

Banquet At Armory On Night December 31 With Many Guests

Company "A" local Guard unit, last night announced plans for its annual banquet, to be held at the Armory on Tuesday night, December 31, and which will be attended by many local people as well as staff officers of the Guard from Little Rock.

This banquet is an annual affair, looked forward to with eagerness by those who have been fortunate enough to attend one. This year it is planned to have it more elaborate than usual and to invite a greater number of guests, among them men of prominence in National Guard affairs in the south.

Little Rock Boys Club Fire Swept

Origin of Blaze Causing \$60,000 Damage Is Unknown

LITTLE ROCK, Dec. 6.—(AP)—Fire of undetermined origin today destroyed the building of the Little Rock Boys Club with an estimated loss of \$60,000. Insurance of \$50,000 was carried on the building and contents.

The building, a two-story structure, was discovered ablaze about five o'clock this morning. The building was entirely gutted, only three walls being left standing.

The club is sponsored by a group of Little Rock business men and has an active membership of more than 1,000 boys. Club will be continued in the old Y. M. C. A. building recently purchased by the Arkansas Democrat.

Norris Resolution Denying Seat for Fraud Is Adopted

Rings Down Curtain In Fight Lasting More Than Three Years

VARE IS PRESENT

Brings To Close Dramatic Fight of Pennsylvania To Hold Seat

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—(AP)—The Senate today denied a seat to Wm. S. Vare, senator-elect from Pennsylvania. The resolution of Senator Norris, republican, Nebraska, excluding the Philadelphia republican leader on account of his expenditure of \$785,000 in his 1928 primary race and because of charges of fraud in the election, was adopted.

With the doors firmly closed against Vare after he had stubbornly contested his right to the seat for three years the senate still had to vote on the right of Vare's democratic opponent, Wm. D. Wilson, to occupy the Pennsylvania seat.

Vare Was In Chamber

Accompanied by his physician, Dr. Shaw, the Pennsylvania staid himself with a cane as he entered the chamber and walked to a seat on the front row of the republican side directly in front of the presiding officer and on the center aisle dividing the chamber. A smile was on his face as he sat down, he entered in the midst of the argument over the long and stubbornly disputed case.

Senator Watson, Indiana, republican leader, shook hands as he passed the Pennsylvania. Vare heard in silence the remark of Senator Pittman, democrat, Nevada, that "at five minutes after twelve Vare will not be a senator." Pittman was arguing that the Senate should vote on the election contest before considering the resolution to exclude Vare.

At noon, Senator Norris asked that the long resolution excluding Vare be read. Shortly thereafter it was adopted.

A Tense Moment

There was a tense moment on the floor when Vice President Curtis ordered a roll call. Robinson, of Arkansas, democratic leader, asked if it would be in order to amend the resolution to read that Vare might be seated. Mr. Curtis ruled that it would, and a woman sitting in the members gallery with the Vare family broke into applause as this last ray of hope was offered.

However, no proposition to change the resolution was offered and the roll call started. At its conclusion, his long fight lost, walked haltingly from the chamber as Mr. Curtis announced the result.

Governor To Appoint

HARRISBURG, Pa., Dec. 6.—(AP)—Gov. John S. Fisher said today that he would take prompt action in naming a successor to senator-elect Vare who was today denied a seat. He said he would await receipt of official notification from Washington before considering the matter.

Wood of Old Coffin Is Used In Violins

For 350 Years Coffin Had Rested In A Tomb In Old Spain.

WINTER HAVEN, Fla., Dec. 6.—(AP)—Wood from the coffin of Pedro Menendez de Aviles, Spanish explorer and founder of St. Augustine, Fla., has been used by Dr. W. B. Hentz in making two violins.

The explorer was buried in Aviles, Spain, in 1574, nine years after he founded the ancient city. In 1924 the body was removed from its tomb to be placed in a mausoleum. The casket, a remarkable piece of workmanship in Spanish walnut, was presented St. Augustine in memory of its founder.

The coffin lay in the city vaults of St. Augustine four years and deteriorated. Then it was found by Robert Ranson of the Florida Historical society, who rebuilt the top and restored and lettering of the epitaph.

From

SOCIETY

Mrs. Sid Henry

Telephone 321

You talk of your breed of cattle.
And plan for a higher strain.
You double the food of the pasture.
You heap up the measure of grain.
You draw on the wits of the nation.
To better the barn and pen.
But what are you doing, my brothers.
To better the breed of men?
And what of your boy? Have you measured
His needs for a growing year?
Does your mark, as his sire, in his features
Mean less than your brand on a steer?
Thoroughbred—that it your watch-word
For stable and pasture and pen,
But what is your word for the home-
stead?
Answer, you breeders of men.
—Selected.

hostesses served a delicious salad plate to the members and six visitors.
The P. T. A. Council held a most interesting meeting yesterday afternoon in the council room at the city hall. Splendid reports were given from the different standing committees. Miss Beryl Henry gave a able and instructive talk on "Parliamentary Laws," the first of a series of study talks to be given at the council meetings during the term. The meeting was presided over by the president Mrs. O. A. Graves.

Little Muriel McCloughan, Jr., entertained about twenty-five of his little friends at a party yesterday afternoon at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. McCloughan on E. Second street. The occasion was the celebration of his fourth birthday. The rooms were bright and inviting with a profusion of fall flowers and the dining table was centered with a beautiful birthday cake topped with four glowing tapers. Doll baby beds were given as favors to the little girls and whistles to the boys. Delicious refreshments were served at the close of a pleasant afternoon by Mrs. McCloughan assisted by Mrs. Thos. Kinser.

Mrs. Henry Hilt is spending this week visiting with relatives in Prescott.

Floyd Tollett of Mineral Springs was the Wednesday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tollett.

Mesdames C. H. Locke, Wilbur Jones, John H. Barrow, H. A. King, Gray Carrigan, L. J. Robbins, R. B. Robbins, H. O. Stuart and Miss Pearl Hunt, all of Ozan were shopping in the city yesterday.

Miss Sybil Smith, who has been attending the Marinello school of beauty culture in New Orleans for the past two and one half months will arrive Sunday and spend the Christmas vacation visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Cox will entertain at Bridge tomorrow evening at their home in Fulton, as special compliment to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Daniels of Texarkana.

Hugh Harkerider, of Mt. Pleasant, is in the city today looking after business matters.
Friends will be glad to know that Mrs. F. J. Coelen who recently underwent an operation at the Julia Chester



Special for a Few Days Only

PERMANENT WAVES

\$4- \$5.50 \$7

WHITE WAY BEAUTY SHOP

Phone 119 for appointment



MADISON DAVIES and OSCAR SHAW in "MARIANNE"

SAENGER Today and Saturday

The Vera Lloyd Orphans Home at Menard, under the supervision of the Presbyterian church, was destroyed by fire last evening, and a call has been issued for bedding and clothing for the children, numbering about forty. The Presbyterian church in this city will be open tomorrow for contributions, packing the box or boxes on next Monday and will greatly appreciate anything donated.

Norman Moore, one of the Hope Bobcats who was injured in the Turkey Day football game here, is about O. K. again and declaring to the world

he'll be in there with the Cats next year, on a faster, bigger and better squad which expects to reverse this season's unenviable record.

J. W. Newkirk was over from Camden Thursday transacting business in this city.

No Charity for Those Driving Automobiles

FRANKLIN, Ind., Dec. 5.—Floyd Owens, trustee of Franklin township, today announced that in future any one owning or driving an automobile would not be allowed any assistance from the poor relief fund under his control.

The average cotton yield in acre in Mississippi during the five-year period from 1923 to 1928 was 212 pounds of lint, an increase of 71 pounds over the 141-pound average from 1919 to 1923.

Missouri has 13 more newspapers and periodicals than in 1927.

NEW GRAND SATURDAY

"The Unknown Rider" with FRED CHURCH A Thrill Drama With a Frontier Rodeo. Also "While the City Sleeps" with LON CHANEY ANITA PAGE MAY BUSCH CARROLL NYE

Chapter ten of "THE PIRATE OF PANAMA" A Good Comedy

Admission 10c and 25c



HANDY-ANDY SPECIALS

For Saturday and Monday

Take the Basket and Select

Sugar	Pure Cane, 10 pound sack with order of \$1.00 or more	55c
Flour	SUNNY VALLEY Soft Wheat, Highest Patent, 24 pound sack 99c, 48 pound sack	\$1.95
Lard	100 per cent pure Shortening, 8 pound Bucket	\$1.05
Coffee	Handy Andy Quality Special 3 lb. pkg.	89c
Cocoanuts	FRESH Nice Size Each	7 1/2c
Crackers	KRISPY Fresh Shipment One Pound Pkg.	15c
Cakes	MIXED Sunshine Assortment Per Pound	29c
Flour	CAKE Pillsbury's Best One mixing bowl with each pkg.	39c
Bacon	BREAKFAST Deckers English Style and Independent Brand Pound for	32c
Hams	Extra select, sugar cured, Krey and Independent brands, pound	25c
Soap	TOILET Lux, Palm Rose and Palmolive. Extra special, 3 for	20c
Cleanser	Sun Bright Brand Each	5c
R. L. PATTERSON		
"A HOME STORE WITH CHAIN STORE BUYING POWER"		

Alabama expects 1,335,000 bales of cotton this year. Tony Fuente, a Los Angeles Philharmonic, worked 2,100 hours at night to complete a model of the U. S. S. Coffee roasting on the Pacific coast has increased 223 per cent in 15 years.

Radio Prices Reduced—See Page Five

WARD'S NATION WIDE CLEARANCE



SALE OF 2 PANTS SUITS & OVERCOATS

One Week Only!

DEC. 7 TO 14 Inclusive

Here's a "Break" For You—Men!

An unusually warm, backward Fall season has played havoc with clothing sales all over the country. Result—we are overstocked on Men's Winter Suits and Overcoats. To correct this situation—Ward's regular low prices have been reduced until Ward's values for this sale border on the phenomenal!

Think of it! This sale offers you an opportunity to save from \$7.25 to \$11.25 on finely tailored, perfect fitting Suits and Overcoats. You can now actually secure a complete outfit—Suit and Warm, Winter Overcoat for the price you have been in the habit of paying for a suit or overcoat alone.

Values to **\$25.00**

All Wool 2 Pants Suits and O'coats

Now **\$17.75**

Values to **\$35.00**

All Wool 2 Pants Suits and O'coats

Now **\$23.75**

Only Dependable Materials and Smartest Styles Included!

Every garment up-to-the-minute in style and tailoring. Suits are tailored of nobby, all wool Cashmeres and Worsted—Overcoats of heavy, warm woolen coatings. Patterns and colors to please every taste. All sizes. Conservative styles and styles for young men. Cold Winter days are here—prepare for them now while these extraordinary savings are available.

Remember—you can save \$7.25 on regular \$25 Suits and Overcoats and \$11.25 on regular \$35 Suits and Overcoats

This Sale for One Week Only!

There is no time to lose. Sale begins tomorrow and continues for one week only. Come tomorrow—come after work, come on your noon hour, come any time you can but let nothing prevent you from securing your share of these amazing savings on Winter clothing. We sincerely believe this Sale offers you the finest qualities and the LOWEST PRICES that will be offered to you at any time this season. Come—see for yourself! Compare styles, materials and prices with the values you have been offered elsewhere.

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SAENGER

A PAGE of SPORT NEWS

Company "A" Will Hold Cage Drill

First Workout of Season On for Tonight as Games Are Sought.

Company "A," local National Guard company, boasts in its personnel some of the fastest basketball players in this section and last night laid plans for a team of engers to do battle with any and all comers.

First workout of the season is slated for tonight when Sergeant Eason, acting coach, will put the fellows through their paces. Efforts are being made to line up a number of games with guard units throughout this part of the state.

Aggies Will Have Inter-School Dates

Have Agreed On Athletic Rivalry Between Themselves.

JONESBORO, Dec. 6.—(P)—The A. and M. colleges of Jonesboro, Monticello and Magnolia have entered into a triangular agreement for athletic competition between them. Each school will make its own eligibility rules for athletics, and work of each will be recognized without question.

In football, the Jonesboro and Monticello teams will meet each year on Armistice day. The Magnolia and Jonesboro teams will meet annually on the Friday before Thanksgiving, and the Monticello teams will continue to meet on Thanksgiving day, as in the past.

The agreements are to be ratified by the presidents of the three institutions at a dinner to be held soon in Little Rock. They already have given on their tentative approval to the agreements.



Pitt's Great Team

On the great Panther team that stands as most likely choice to represent the east in the Tournament of Roses game at Pasadena on New Year's Day, are five men that could be named without shame by anybody choosing an All-America aggregation.

These are Captain Al Dimeola, Ray Montgomery, Toby Uansa, Pug Parkinson and Joe Douchess. Uansa and Parkinson are backs. Douchess is an end and the other two are line men. Four of these played in the Rose Bowl game of two years ago, when Pitt lost to Stanford, 7 to 6. The 1927 Pitt team was led by Gibby Welsh.

Uansa has shown great improvement this year and his selection for All-America is regarded as practically a certainty. He played well last year, when Pitt's team was not so good. This season, with a fine eleven to work with, he has played superbly. Two years ago when Pitt met Stanford he was a substitute.

Uansa has been aided materially by perfect interference from his mates, but he has tricks of running that help to make him one of America's greatest backs. He can shift and cut back across a field like lightning. When about to be tackled by the enemy he has a deceptive feint—he

DID YOU KNOW THAT—

Every year at West Point, on Thanksgiving morning the Goats play the Engineers—the Goats are the lads who are at the bottom of the scholarship ladder—the Engineers are the guys with the highest marks. The band leader is the coach for the Goats and the chaplain coaches the Engineers—Notre Dame used 34 men in the first half against Georgia Tech—Al Simmons met Pat Malone in a barnstorming game on the coast—"Hey, Pat," barked Simmons, "you don't have to walk me, this is no world series"—It needs Pat more—"I'll show you!" he replied, and shot a snaking one down the alley—it went over the left field wall—just like that one in the fatal seventh in Philadelphia—Dick Shikat, champion of the world in some states, declares a wrestler can beat a boxer in a mixed match—He says most of the fights he has seen have been more holding and clutching than sweating, anyway.

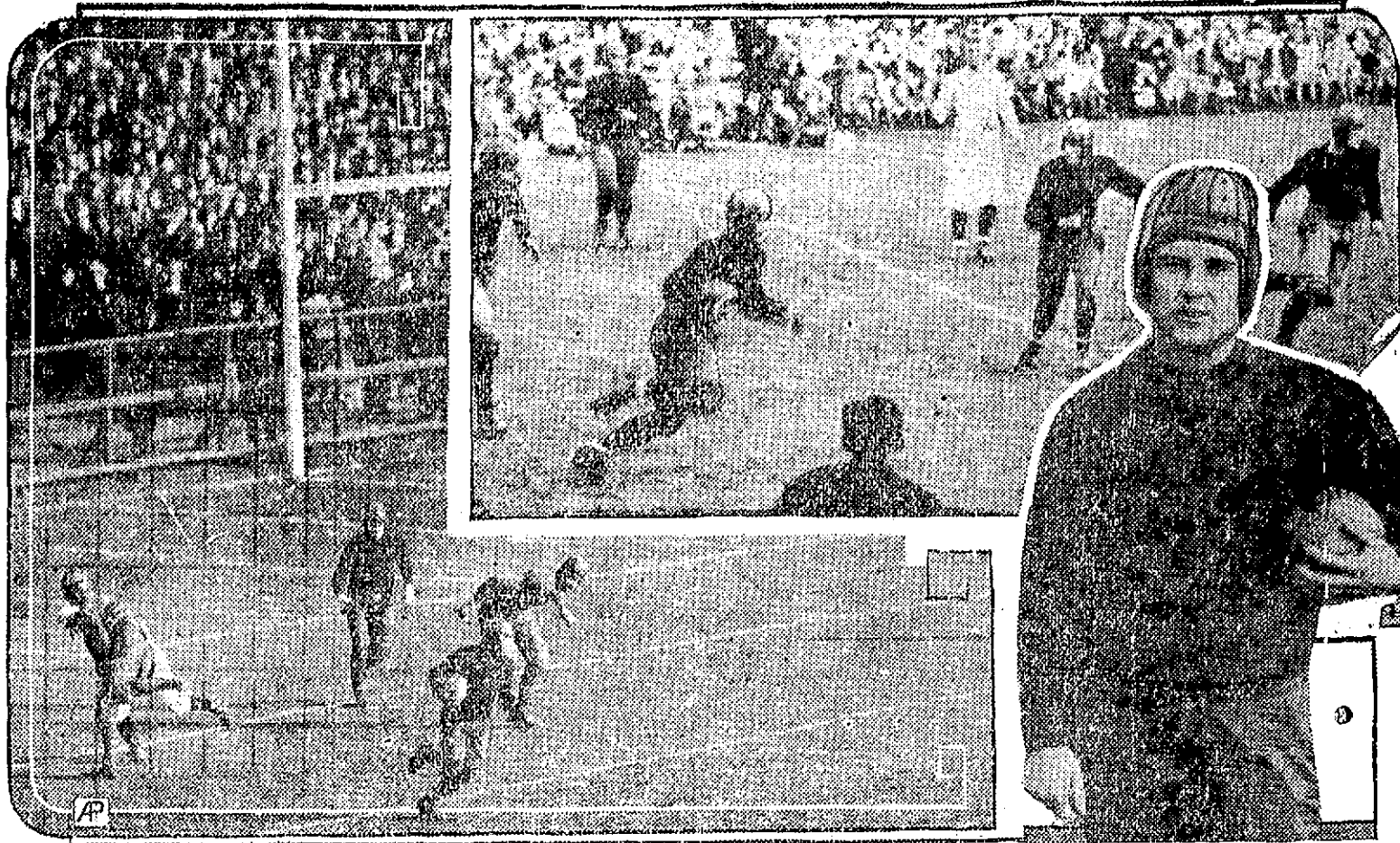
Bend Typhoon. There would have been fireworks.

Hurray for the Tank Corps!

Major Ralph Sasse, who succeeds Captain Biff Jones next year as coach at West Point, is a cavalryman. Captain Biff was an artilleryman. The new coach had a squadron of tanks on the western front during the war, and has been coaching for seven years since. Biff has been coaching for 11 years almost to a stop and then suddenly darts forward, pursuing the same direction.

In the game with Ohio, it seemed as if Uansa never was going to be tackled. He ran, dodged, side-slipped and plunged in an exhibition that was pretty to watch, even though the field was a mess of mud. Watch him go if the Panther is picked to meet California. It is unfortunate that this great Pitt team could not meet the current edition of the South

Elder No Good To Frosh—Now See Him!



SOUTH BEND, Dec. 5.—(P)—The brilliant Jack Elder, flashy halfback of the contemporary Rockneites of Notre Dame, knew so little about the gridiron art back in his freshman year that he didn't even land a place on the squad.

And that shows what the moulder

in moleskin can do with football matter which is matter but has no form. When Elder showed up on the Irish campus he could run like blazes in his untutored Kentucky way. In spite of the fact that he didn't even have a pair of running shoes to his name he made also-rans of the varsity men in the 60 and 100 yard dashes.

And so, disappointed in football, Elder went in for track. As a sophomore he made his mark on the campus, winning a place on the intercollegiate championship relay team which held the world's record for the quarter mile. As a junior Elder set up a new world's record of 6.5 for the sixty yard dash and tied the

75 yard record of Hank Russell of Cornell.

Only last year he won his letter in football, and he was not really a regular then. This year he is not only classed as one of the most outstanding halfbacks in the country, but he has a bit of renown also for his scholastic standing.

Grid Casualty



Kicked in the back during the fourth quarter at the Harvard-rare clash at Cambridge, Victor M. Harding, 21, star end of the Crimson, is in serious condition. An operation to remove the ruptured spleen and a blood transfusion were necessary to save the life of the Harvard gridder. Attending physicians stated it would be several days before Harding could be considered out of danger. The boy's father was a great end on a Harvard eleven more than 20 years ago.

Stone flooring in the Boston Public Library wore down under the tread of millions of feet until brass inlay work protruded and caused stumbling.

years, serving the last four as head coach, as the limit for head coach at the Point is four years. Major Sasse played four years at end for the Army and has developed some fine ends during the period of his coven-

ing under Jones. Biff is one of the most affable chaps you would care to meet, and Sasse is of the same mold. We are just wondering what kind of a name the boys will hang on Major Sasse, or something like that?

Cadets' Sponsor



Miss Jean Lipscomb, above, of Donaldsonville, La., finds time to act as sponsor of Louisiana State University's R. O. T. C. regiment, in addition to her duties as a member of the junior class in journalism. She will be formally introduced at the cadet hop Dec. 11.

Pittsburgh University In Game At Rose Bowl

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 6.—(P)—The University of Southern California announced today that the University of Pittsburgh had accepted an invitation to play the New Year's day game in the Rose Bowl at Pasadena.

Staggered Into Hospital In Few Minutes Is Dead

HOT SPRINGS, Dec. 6.—Declaring that he was ill, Sam Coleman, aged about 35, this afternoon staggered into the Leo N. Levi hospital, was given a room and five minutes later died. Hospital authorities were unable to learn where Coleman lived.

Henderson State Calls for Cagers

After Several Years Without Team, Girls Now To Organize.

ARKADELPHIA, Dec. 6.—(P)—After several years without intercollegiate girls' basketball, Henderson State Teachers College this year will put a team in the field, and a call for candidates has been given.

Miss Clois Gullett, coach, announced

Cupid Downs Loyola Grid Star



NEA New Orleans Bureau

That cherubic young man, Daniel Cupid, was lurking on the field this season as Joe Teltow, Loyola University's backfield ace, scampered through every team the Wulfpack opposed. Cupid only grinned when Miss Mercedes Mullens, New Orleans school teacher, cheered louder than the rest, for Cupid knew she was really a "Mrs." The secret came to light recently when the players were naming their best girls for the game with Spring Hill and Teltow, nonchalantly declared "Mrs. Joseph Teltow" to be his sponsor.

BRUSHING UP SPORTS . . . By Laufer



ed 35 young women students have responded and with these she is endeavoring to perfect a team to restore the status of the school in that sport. Several years back as Henderson-Brown college, the school won the state championship for a number of seasons.

St. Louis loses between \$25,000 and \$35,000 daily to racketeers and commercial swindlers, it is estimated by the Better Business bureau.

Fur Bearing Animals Classed As Livestock

TONOPAH, Nev., Dec. 6.—(P)—Muskrats, red and silver foxes and mink are classed as "livestock" by the Nevada tax commission.

This decision was reached when the board was called upon to define officially the standing of fauna reared in tame colonies for the market. Thousands of these species are bred for their pelts and also for sale in

establishing new colonies. The industry has become highly lucrative

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The Star's Platform

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Apply the revenues of the municipal power plant to develop the industrial and social resources of Hope.
More city pavement in 1930, and improved sanitary conditions in the alleys and business back-yards.
Support the Chamber of Commerce.

COUNTY

A county highway program providing for the construction of a minimum amount of all-weather road each year, to gradually reduce the dirt road mileage.
Political and economic support for every scientific agricultural program which offers practical benefits to Hempstead county's greatest industry.
Encourage farmer organizations, believing that co-operative effort is as practical in the country as it is in town.

STATE

Continued progress on the state highway program.
Fearless tax reform, and a more efficient government through the budget system of expenditures.
Free Arkansas from the cattle tick.

Federal Aid for Prohibition

IN ITS section devoted to the recommendations for prohibition. President Hoover's message to congress shows promise of sensible action on the part of the federal government.

Almost from the beginning national prohibition has been a strange paradox. The federal government furnished the law, but apparently looked to the states for money to finance an international war—a war notoriously unpopular in the largest and most wealthy states.

Comes Mr. Hoover before congress this week, however, and asks two things: Transfer of the prohibition administration from the Treasury Department to the Department of Justice, and total appropriations of two hundred million dollars to carry on federal enforcement work.

This is an excellent program. It will put prohibition in the justice department, where as a problem in law enforcement it properly belongs, and will eliminate the curious spectacle of law-breakers being tried by the Treasury Department.

Behind this program there is the apparent resolve to knit federal enforcement into a more compact, efficient and militant body. The United States will have need of such a body if it is to make liquor prohibition permanently successful. Some prohibition leaders claim that the moral burden rests upon the larger states to go out and make prohibition successful whether their local citizens believe in it or not, simply because the law is written into the federal constitution. Such claims are neither logical nor just.

It will take the iron hand of the federal government to make all citizens feel that federal money is backing up a federal statute—and after that we may expect a better break for the prohibition law in the legislatures of states that hitherto have been unfriendly. For if the electorate is convinced, local governments must follow along as a matter of course.

Mr. Hoover's recommendations to congress probably bear in mind the fact that all the years of its existence national prohibition has been under Republican administrations. Responsibility for its performance lies at Republican doors—and the charge hurled in the campaign a year ago, that Republican presidents have done prohibition more damage in office than Democratic candidates out of office, is still true, unless Mr. Hoover manages to change tradition.

What If Some of Us Do Call It "Raddio"?

THERE is a prosperous story about the American, visiting in London, who told an English friend he was going to spend a week-end with some people named Marjoribanks (which he pronounced Marjori-banks) who lived at Magdalen Park (which he pronounced Mag-da-len) in the county of Leicestershire (which he pronounced Lie-cester-shire.)

The Englishman promptly told the old tale that he must say he was visiting the "Marchbanks" in "Maudlin" Park in "Lestersheer."

And a little later the American got his own back when the Englishman said he was visiting America shortly, stopping in New York, Albany, Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

"What's that last one?" asked the Yank.

"Ni-a-ga-ra Falls."

"No, my dear old bean, you mean Niffles."

And to tell the truth this thing of pronouncing British names is always a puzzle, not say a social danger. Men whose front cognomen is Ralph insist that it be pronounced "Rafe." But there are many family names which are not pronounced at all the way they are spelled and the way they look. For instance:

Pole-Carew. Pronounced	St. Maur	Semour
Pullearry	Kerr	Karr
Colquhoun	Kohoon	SinJon
Wemyss	Weems	Demullins
Leveson-Gower	Looson-Gore	Marn
Bertie	Bartie	Tallafarro
		Tolliver

If this isn't taking a lot of liberties with the dear old English language for unexplainable reasons, well, what is it?

The Prodigals Return



WASHINGTON LETTER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER

WASHINGTON—Secretary of the Navy Charles Francis Adams, descendant of a long line of ever-so-distinguished Adamses, now trails every day at lunch time in a long line of clerks, stenographers, captains and other Navy Department employees in the big Navy Department cafeteria.

The secretary carries his own tray and picks out his own food all by himself. There is no precedence in the cafeteria and the lines are frequently long and slow in progress. But it's a fine cafeteria, this one of the Navy's, and probably serves the most inexpensive good meals in Washington.

Citizens of Washington are not permitted to vote, but do have civic pride.

Charles W. Darr, president of the Washington Chamber of Commerce, mooted publicly in a speech the other night as follows in the other

"The fair name of our city is our proudest possession. Help us keep it. The stories have gone from Washington over telegraph, radio and by telephone to the press of the country, painting a picture of blood running on Pennsylvania avenue as freely as water does in the Potomac river and of the crooks in great gatherings in the capital, have wrought thousands of dollars' damage to the business of the city. Who will think of investing their money here as long as they are presented such a picture of Washington? Just as thousands of tourists have been diverted from the capital by the stories published some time ago describing the traffic conditions here as chaotic, so has investors' money been diverted by stories built upon unsupported and unverified charges against our city officials."

"Stand by our public officials, our police department and the other departments of our city government!"

History may attach considerable importance to the magnifying glass wielded by Senator Furnifold McLendel Simmons of North Carolina, ranking majority member of the Senate Finance Committee and Democratic leader in the tariff fight.

The Honorable Furnifold McLendel Simmons is going on 76 years now and his eyes aren't what they used to be. But through the aid of magnifying glass, which he is never without, he has been able to discern an astonishing number of items in the tariff bill presented by Republican committee members which the Democrats ought to oppose. Every day you can see him poring over the bill and its amendments and other relevant material, crouched close over the glass.

BARBS

"An Era of Chance," says a headline over a story describing activities in Wall Street. The word left out was "fat."

Henry Ford has bought a western and named it, says a newspaper dispatch. That makes two he has now, including the one in Detroit.

Some of those movies are "100 per cent talkie" and not much else.

At a recent livestock show in Kansas City, "the Ideal Hog" was exhibited. The dispatch didn't say where the animal was found, but it's safe to guess it was the man who sits in the Pullman smoking early in the morning while 12 are trying to shave.

Some of the writers covering the stock market recently seem to have seen things differently. Some called it a debacle and others described it as a readjustment.

The Taneys have set sail for home, it is reported. Mr. Tunny, you know, is the man who was sued.

As a bid for new business and an answer to the Boston metropolitan parking problems, the Boston and Maine railroad is offering free parking for patrons at its suburban stations.

News of Other Days

From the Files of the Star

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO
W. E. Sutton, the merchant at Sutton, Ark., was attending to business in Hope Thursday.

Dr. Whipple, of De Ann, was a pleasant caller at the Star office Thursday.

Travis Holt, a substantial farmer of Jakajones, was in town Thursday. Mrs. P. A. Sharp, and daughter, May, are visiting relatives in Texarkana.

TEN YEARS AGO
Mrs. Arch Moore spent several days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Berry at Foreman this week.

Miss Ruth Anderson, of Lester, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. M. Houston the past few days.

Mrs. Katherine Root, who has been the guest of Mrs. Timon B. Parks, left Thursday for her home at Fort Worth, Texas.

Miss Mary Kim Carrigan entertained yesterday afternoon with a bridge party honoring Mrs. Hatley White. Mrs. James Ruffin White and Mrs. Ben Carter, Jr., recent brides. Her guests were the members of the "Every Wednesday Club."

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. William Dandford are glad to have them for Hope residents. Mrs. Dandford is pleasantly remembered as Miss Sue Bryant.

Mrs. Wright Sharp expects to have as guests for the holidays, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Snyder and brother, Russell and Henry Snyder.

Miss Birdie Quile, who holds a position with the Public Health Association, at Little Rock spent several days recently with her mother, Mrs. Bama Grissom in Hope.

Among the school girls who will spend the Christmas holidays at home are Misses Marie LaGrone and Maxine Stone, of Randolph-Macon College. They will start from Lynchburg about the eighteenth of this month.

After a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Chamberlain, Mr. and Mrs. William P. Roberts have returned to their home at Hugo, Oklahoma.

Miss Mildred Kane came up from Stamps Thursday for the Elk's dance. While here she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. LaGrone.

The first of a number of parties which are being planned for Miss Florence McRae, whose marriage to Glenney Enson Graham on December the tenth, was that given on Wednesday afternoon by Miss Vada Dean Hammett. The house was attractive, decorated in Chrysanthemums and Japanese motifs. Eight tables were arranged for bridge, after which a "show" was featured. A rap was heard at the door, and Master Benjamin Hayes entered, pulling a pretty Japanese cart, in which sat little Charlotte Stewart, both in costume, and bringing the beautiful gifts which were miscellaneous in choice.

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John D. III Lauds Peace Institute



NEA San Francisco Bureau
The recent Institute of Pacific Relations in Japan went a long way toward eliminating friction, in the opinion of John D. Rockefeller III, above, photographed at San Francisco on his return on the Dollar liner President Pierce. Experts say the institute will be a complete success if it survives the meeting scheduled for China two years hence.

Atlanta is to have a combination office building and cold storage warehouse costing between \$2,500,000 and \$3,000,000.

Bearing orange trees in Brazil number 7,830,000.

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My Favorite Bible Passage

Today's Choice

by
THOMAS D. SCHALL

U. S. Senator
from
Minnesota

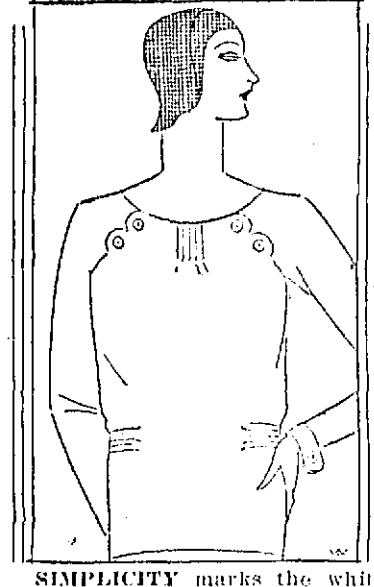


Senator Schall

Whom the Lord loveth He chasteneth. Hebrews 12:6.

COMMENT
In the first year of my blindness I often wished that He had not loved me quite so much, but thought the chastisement had come to me understanding. With that understanding I realize the truth. I no longer pray, Take the cup from me, but accept the fight of life as it is presented to me. After 2 years of darkness I wouldn't trade the understanding that has come to me for all the eyes in the world.

I entered the forest of darkness untamed, undisciplined, grasping, selfish. I came out of that darkness when understanding became my sight, when I had learned to bear disappointment, when I had comprehended to do the thing that was to be done for love of the cause and not for self-aggrandizement. When I became interested unselfishly, and worked because the work was there to be done, without considering whether the result would help me or not—though in the doing of the thing that would not help me I was most helped—I began to understand what Christ meant, when His disciples quarreling among themselves as to who should be first, replied, The first shall be last and the last shall be first. He that shall en-



simplicity marks the white jersey blouse, so smart with the suit. This one with interesting raglan sleeves is slightly pinched at the waist with a group of tucks which are repeated at the neckline.

Today's Crossword Puzzle

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

1. Son of Adam	2. Epic poem	3. Search	4. Desert	5. Portent of evil	6. Operatic solo	7. Be in error	8. Neat	9. Animal	10. Salt of nitric acid	11. Arrangement of cards in solitaire	12. Cereal grass	13. Richful	14. Religious poem	15. Embraces	16. Composer of "A Sleep in the Deep"	17. Texas misadventure	18. Human house	19. Wild god	20. Distributor of plus	21. Readily assuming different shapes	22. Demise	23. The orient	24. Novel	25. Greek portico	26. Other	27. Craft	28. Civil wrong	29. Shakespearean	30. Little	31. Pintail duck	32. Kind of horse	33. Uncovered	34. Assam folk	35. Snuffbox	36. Monkey	37. Geometrical figure	38. Chess piece	39. Superior knowledge	40. Kitchen utensil	41. Without company	42. Factory	43. Cakes from labor	44. Mare	45. Morbid trenchant sound	46. Mountain in Greece	47. Thin particle	48. Iron	49. Despoil	50. River in England and Wales
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duration until the end shall be saved.
(Compiled by the Bible Guild)

Saturday: Millard E. Tydings, U. S. senator from Maryland.

Harmonica classes are sponsored by the Flint, Mich., Rotary club for boys and girls.

A survey of 121 farms in six Minnesota counties showed tenant farmers were better off financially than farm owners.

Burt Wentworth, internationally known fingerprint expert, says the place for fingerprints is in the record of the family Bible.

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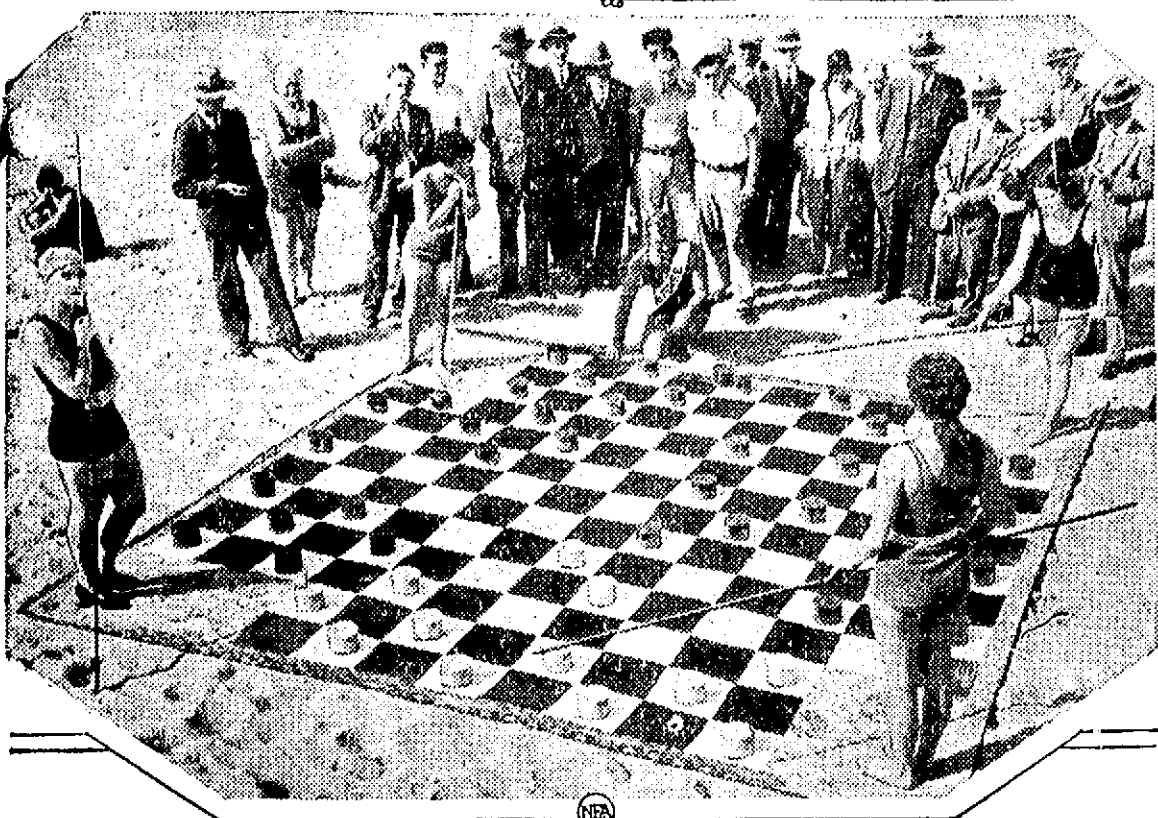
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While lots of other folks in other sections of the country were shivering in the first cold spell of the winter, these checker enthusiasts were frolicking on the beach at Venice, Cal. The huge 18-foot board, which is used by four instead of two players, was shown for the first time during a series of seaside tournaments. No, this isn't an ad for California's well-known climate!

Matthews Wants Toll Gate System

Favors This Plan for Funds To Complete Paving Highways

LITTLE ROCK, Dec. 6.—Arkansas will return to the system of placing toll gates on highways if a plan suggested by Justin Matthews, member of the state highway commission, to other members of the body is adopted. Commissioner Matthews' plan would make a toll road of that part of highway Number 70 leading from the new Harahan viaduct across Crittenden county.

The object of action would be to enable the state to collect from users of the road a sum sufficient to finish paying for the construction of the new concrete approach to Harahan bridge at Memphis.

Matthews said that tolls on the old viaduct will not total enough to pay the cost of the new one by the time the new structure is ready. When the new project was undertaken it was understood that Arkansas' part of the cost would be paid out of tolls collected from users of the old viaduct while the new one was being built. There is no tax on real estate to build the viaduct and Arkansas is without a source of revenue with which to meet the difference in cost of the new viaduct and the tolls collected on the old, Matthews said. Because of the agreement with Tennessee and federal authorities, the new viaduct must be toll-free, so that source of revenue is denied the highway department.

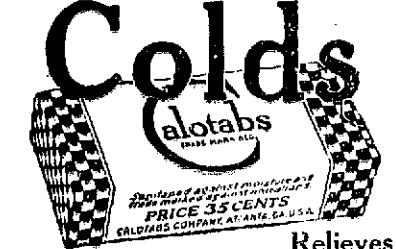
In addition to Arkansas' part of the cost, federal highway aid allotted to the viaduct project is charged to the allotment for this state and would be available for use elsewhere were it not pent on the viaduct. That, therefore, really adds to Arkansas' part of the viaduct cost, according to Matthews.

The new Harahan viaduct will be the only bridge structure in the state constructed out of state highway fund and free from tolls, Matthews said. The highway commission has authority to construct bridges but provision is made for operating them as state-owned toll bridges until receipts have paid the cost of construction. Where bridges are toll-free, like at Little Rock, Pine Bluff, Dardanelle, Van Buren, they were built under the improvement district plan and the cost assessed against real estate within specified districts. Commissioner Matthews argues that it would be wrong to take state highway funds and build a free bridge in Crittenden, or any other county, and force the property owners and bridge users to pay for similar structures in other sections of the state.

Regarding a report that certain persons in Memphis are claiming that toll already collected on the old viaduct are in excess of the amount necessary to pay Arkansas' part of the new structure, Matthews said that it is not true. He said that had the original plans been followed such would have been the case but that the expense of increasing the width of the new viaduct from 36 feet, as originally planned, to 52 feet, as it is being built raises the total until tolls will not pay the bill when the new viaduct is ready about February 1. Neither would the tolls repay Arkansas for the amount lost in federal aid, Matthews said.

It is believed that an act of the legislature will be necessary before toll gates can be placed on the highway. By some persons it is doubted that even the legislature can authorize the procedure since highway Number 70 was built out of gasoline taxes and is a federal aid project.

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In Battle for \$50,000,000



Harold F. McCormick, head of the International Harvester Company and his sister, Mrs. Anita McCormick Blaine, are shown here leaving the court house at Santa Barbara, Calif., where suit over the \$50,000,000 estate of Stanley McCormick, their mentally unfortunate brother, is under way. Stanley McCormick is the youngest son of the late Cyrus McCormick, the harvester king.

The commandment, "Thou shalt not bear false witness," has been printed in letters two feet high in the Dawson county, Texas, court room.

Central Missouri counties have raised the bounty on wolves from \$5 to \$20 because inroads of the animals have increased.

An oil well, drilled in a cemetery of the Ponca Indians in Oklahoma eight years ago, still produces.

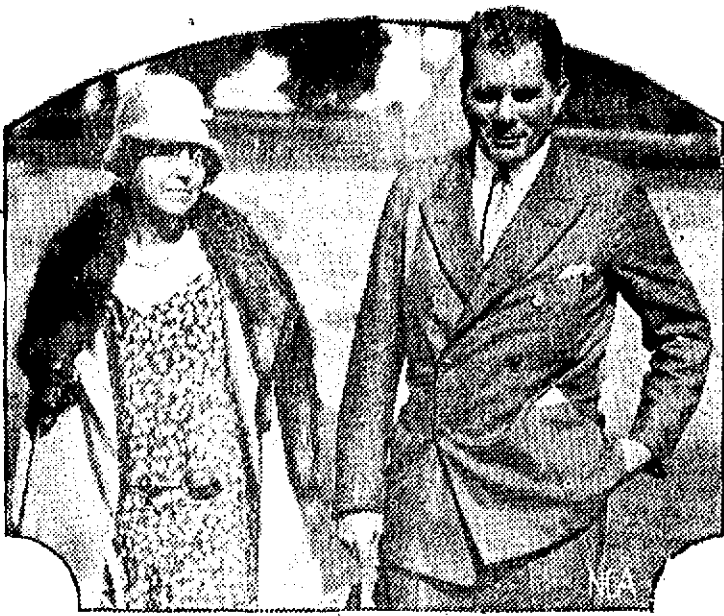
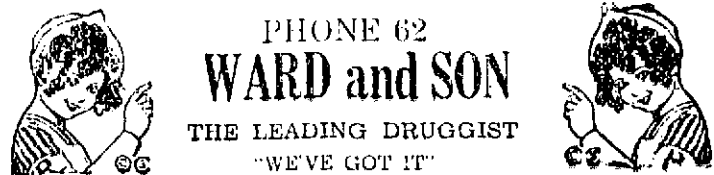


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'Cures' At Grave Rapped By Mayo

Says Those Cured Had Only Thought Themselves Sick

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—The world undoubtedly has progressed far since the days of witches and spooks, but for all that the "age of marvels and superstitions" still is with us, Dr. Charles Mayo, national noted physician, charged here Wednesday.

Dr. Mayo, who has grown white-haired treating the sick at his Rochester, Minn., clinic, cited the so-called miracle cures which were effected recently at the grave of a young priest at Malden, Mass. So many persons visited the grave that the cemetery was tramped and authorities finally ordered it closed last week.

"Thousands of people visited this grave of a young ecclesiastic who died 60 years ago," said Dr. Mayo. "Many of them who so crowded to reach this grave were hurt in the mobs. Those who visited the grave believed that it was just as effective for cures of one disease as another.

"There always will be some apparent cures of this type, because many

persons with uncontrolled emotions only think they are sick. They throw away their crutches or canes or smoked glasses. While they are objects of wonder, they will remain better, but when they have to go to work again, their disabilities return."

Dr. Mayo said such phenomena led him to believe that "the mental inheritance of many of our people is very poor."

"It behooves all who are of solid mind to remember that 1850 lives are lost every day by preventable disease and to do their part to conserve the lives of our citizens," he said.

More Americans, he said, are killed by heart disease than any other one cause. Tuberculosis, which used to be one of the nation's most formidable diseases, rapidly is decreasing in seriousness thanks to better health habits generally, he added.

In Hempstead Chancery Court, Frank Jamison, Plaintiff

vs. Roberta Jamison, Defendant

The defendant, Roberta Jamison, is warned to appear in this court within 30 days and answer the complaint of the plaintiff, Frank Jamison.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court on this, the 30th day of November, 1929.

WILLIE HARRIS Clerk.

11-30, 12-7-14-21

For Governor



Dennis G. Brummitt, above, attorney general of North Carolina, is a candidate to succeed Governor C. Max Gardner. Brummitt is a former speaker of the House of Representatives and chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee.

No girl likes to be pinched by a cop.—Arkansas Banker.

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Dear Santa Claus:
I am a boy ten years old. I want a BB gun and four boxes of BB shot. I also want some fruit, candy and nuts.

Your Little Friend,
George White

Hope, Arkansas

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy five years old. Please bring me a little toy tractor, gun, ball, knife, fireworks and fruits.

Your Little Friend,
Dale Arnold

Hope, Arkansas

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a blond-headed little girl 10 years old. Christmas will soon be here and I am glad. I am looking for some pretty presents. I want a bicycle, a pair of skates a raincoat, and a pair of gloves.

Your Little Friend,
Lois Lamb

Hope, Arkansas

Dear Santa Claus:
I want you to bring me a fire wagon, car, mule hitched to a wagon, bugle, fire crackers and fruits. I am not asking for much and if you will bring me this I will pick up potatoes good for papa next spring.

Your Little Friend,
Doyle Ellis

Hope, Arkansas

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy seven years old. I go to school and am in the first grade. Santa please bring me a little car, pistol, train, fireworks fruits and nuts. Don't forget my teacher, Mrs. Hicks. Bring her something nice.

Your Little Friend,
Cecil Arnold

Hope, Arkansas

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me an electric train, the biggest battery you have, four cars and observation car. Please

bring me some fudge and fireworks, a set of Lincoln logs and any other toys you think I would like. And Santa Claus bring presents to the other children.

I have tried to be good, but haven't been as good as I ought to have been. But Santa Claus I am going to try to be a better boy before Christmas.

Love to you, Mrs. Santa Claus and all the good elves from your little friend.

William Ralph Routon, Jr.,
P. S. I hope you come to see McDavitt, Grandmother Auntie and Bobber, Also Mother, Daddy and sister.

Hope, Arkansas

Dear Santa Claus:
I want a pair of gloves a big airplane.

Your Little Friend,
Sonny Boy Lamb

Hope, Arkansas

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy seven years old, and I want you to bring me a coaster wagon, a rubber ball, some oranges, apples candy and nuts of all kinds I will go to bed early.

Your Little Friend,
Thurman Skinner

Emmet, Arkansas

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl nearly two years old I want you to bring me a set of dishes, a doll bed, and doll buggy, apples, oranges, candy and nuts.

Your Little Friend,
Mayjorie Lee Skinner

Emmet, Arkansas

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy five years old and I want you to bring me a tricycle, a ball, some candy, oranges, apples, and nuts of all kinds.

Your Little Friend,
Aaron Skinner

Hope, Arkansas

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy 8 years old. I want an airplane, a pair of gloves, some apples, oranges, nuts and lots of good chocolate candy and bring my brother something too.

Your Little Friend,
Robert Pearce, Jr.

Emmet, Arkansas

Dear Santa Claus:
I want you to bring me a gun, fireworks, a french harp, pair of gloves, dancing-man and fruits. Remember little Dorothy May and grandma.

Your Little Friend,
Austin Ellis

Emmet, Arkansas

Actress-Wife Sues Rail Heir



Mildred Richardson Hill, above, described as a "perfect American beauty," and third wife of Walter Hill, youngest son of the late James J. Hill, the railroad magnate, has sued for divorce in Livingston, Mont. Hill, a rancher, married Mrs. Richardson, who had been playing in "No. No. Nanette," within 10 minutes after he divorced his second wife in 1927.

Sutton, Arkansas

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl six years of age. I go to school at Sutton. I have been a good little girl so you would bring me something nice for Christmas.

Please bring me a great big sleepy doll, that says "ma-ma" a ring, a new pair of Roman sandals, lots of fruit and nuts and fireworks.

Your Little Friend,
Vervie Lee Smith

Sutton, Arkansas

Dear Santa Claus:
We are two little boys waiting for Santa. We want a cowboy suit, an air gun, a pair of skates, a coaster, some fire crackers and a toy train, and some fruit, candy and nuts.

Your little friends,
George Jones,
Harrison Allen.

Sutton, Ark.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl 7 years old. I go to school and I love my teacher. I want you to bring me a wrist watch, lots of nuts, candy and firecrackers, a little pistol and caps.

Your Little Friend,
Hazel Bennett

Hope, Arkansas

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl eight years old and I am in the high second grade. Please Santa bring me a ball and a story book and any thing else you can afford. Fill my stocking with nuts, fruits and candies.

Your Little Friend,
Estelle Schwab

Sutton, Arkansas

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl three years old and I have been very good. Please bring me a little doll that won't be easy to break, a little doll bed and just anything you care to bring me.

Your Little Friend,
Betty Jo Smith

Hope, Arkansas

Dear Santa:
I am a little boy three years old. I want you to bring me a little wagon, a teddy bear, and some candy and fruits.

Your little boy,
Willard Guiley.

Hope, Ark., Dec. 5, 1929.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy fourteen-months old. I want you to bring me a rubber ball, a rubber doll, and some candy and fruits.

Your little boy,
Wallace Guiley.

Hope, Ark., Dec. 5, 1929.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy seven years old. I want you to bring me a little car that I can ride in, a little gun and some fruits and candies. Thank you.

Your little friend,
Franklin Guiley.

Hope, Ark., Dec. 5, 1929.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a girl in the 6-B grade. I want you to please bring me a pair

In Senate Race?



Federal Judge J. M. Meekins, above, of North Carolina, is being urged to oppose Senator Farnifold Simmons, Democrat, and anti-Smith leader in the state last year, in the United States senatorial race in 1930. Meekins is a Republican but his friends say he would have the support of many of the pro-Smith Democrats.

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Your friend,
Mamie Guiley.

Hope, Ark., Dec. 5, 1929.

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl eleven years old. I want you to please bring me a pair of skates, a doll and buggy, and some fruits and candy. That will be all. Thank you.

Your friend,
Ruth Guiley.

Hope, Ark., Dec. 5, 1929.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl 10 years old. I want you to bring a strand of beads, a trunk, a dresser, and a vanity set, and candy, nuts and fruit.

Your little friend,
Marguerite Simpson.

Hope, Ark., Dec. 5, 1929.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl 8 months old. I want you to bring me a teddy bear suit, a doll and a walker and some candy.

Your little friend,
Betty Joe Jones.

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Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy 10 months old. I want you to bring me a kiddie car, a pair of shoes and a little wagon and bring me some candy, nuts and fruit.

Your little friend,
Denver Allen.

Hope, Ark., Dec. 5, 1929.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl 12 years old. I go to Brookwood school. I want you to bring me a basketball, some story books, a set of dishes and fruit, candy and nuts.

Your little friend,
Faye Alden.

Hope, Ark., Dec. 5, 1929.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy 8 years old and am in the third grade. I like my teacher fine her name is Mrs. Denver Whitten. I go to school at Corinth. I want you to bring me an airgun, nuts, candies, oranges, and other nice things.

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Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl nine years old. I go to school and am in the third grade. I want you to come to see me Christmas and bring me a little sewing machine, and lots of fruit, nuts and fire works.

Your Little Friend,
Floy Fae Hairston

Hope, Ark., Dec. 5, 1929.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy who just started to school this year. I want you to bring me all kinds of fruits. I'd like to have a toy pistol, a ball and a knife.

Your Little Friend,
Tilman Hairston

Hope, Ark., Dec. 5, 1929.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy 7 years old. I want you to bring me a ball, knife, some marbles, an airgun and fruit and nuts. Don't forget my little sister. She wants a doll.

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Your Little Friend,
Ettie Browning

Hope, Arkansas

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a doll about six inches tall. I want it to talk and have long curly hair. Bring me a set of dishes and a stove that I can play with.

Your Little Friend,
Ethel Clark

Bodeaw, Arkansas

Dear Santa Claus:
I want you to bring me a tricycle, and a lot of other toys. Please don't forget to bring me nuts and candy of all kinds.

Your Little Friend,
Arvel Baker

Hope, Arkansas

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little boy four years old and just as good as I can be. Now please come to see me. I want a gun, lots of fruits and nuts. A tricycle, fire crackers, a new ball and remember my baby brother.

Your Little Friend,
Billy Baker

Hope, Arkansas

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a rubber ball, a bat, and a bicycle, some firecrackers, and a pocket-knife.

Your Little Friend,
Carl May

Bodeaw, Arkansas

Dear Santa Claus:
I want you to bring me a sewing machine, and some cloth and I want some fruit, candy and nuts and some fireworks.

Your Little Friend,
Zelma Beeswell

Hope, Arkansas

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl four years old and I want a little doll and doll bed, and candies, nuts, fruit and all kinds and please don't forget my Papa and mama.

Your Little Friend,
Margery Sanders

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Dear Santa Claus:
I want you to bring me a air gun, two boxes of shots, a wagon, and a bicycle. Now be sure and come to see me Christmas.

Your Little Friend,
Willie Pierce

Bodeaw, Arkansas

Dear Santa Claus:
Christmas is so near and I want a bicycle, a box of firecrackers and that's all.

Your Little Friend,
Helen May

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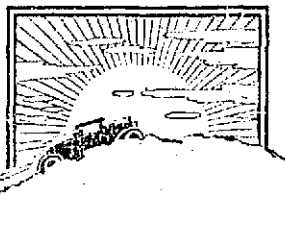
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LOST 1925 car, mounted on Chevrolet rim, between Hope and Paines Sunday or since. Reward. Lester Hamilton, 1318 South Main, Hope, or this office. 45-33-p

SPECIAL: For Saturday - Five pounds of coffee, in the grain or ground, for \$1. Sanders Grocery Co. 47-11-c

SPRING HILL

The Daugherty store has changed hands again. Mr. Sid McDowell of City Springs bought and took possession Tuesday afternoon.

Messrs. J. C. Porterfield and Frank Turner were transacting business in Hope Tuesday.

Miss Daisy Barnes, one of the school teachers here, is on the sick list this week and is at her home in Blevins. Mart Yocum and family of Evening Shade spent Saturday night with his home folks.

J. C. Porterfield, wife and son, J. C. Jr., were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Menden's Sunday.

Mrs. Mollie Brint and son, Foster accompanied by Mrs. Henry Prather and daughter, Mary, returned to Pratt over recently to spend awhile with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Foley Jr., and Ruth and Joe were down from Hope Sunday.

F. A. Turner is having modern improvements made on his farm out here.

Charles Baker assisted her mother, Mrs. Daugherty and mother in a hot hog killing Saturday.

A dense private forest almost in the heart of San Francisco is the breeding ground for coyotes, which keep a pace hunter busy at the city's Golden Gate park to protect fowl.

A new collection of "outlaw" and Confederate money now in the museum of Emory university at Atlanta came from Fond du Lac, Wis.

OUT OUR WAY



WAR COLLEGE
REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.

The Avenging Parrot

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THIS HAS HAPPENED Mrs. Emma Hogarth, who lived in Mrs. Rhodes' boarding house, is strangled to death between 11:45 and 12:15 Saturday night, June 29. Assisting Lieut. Strauss in the investigation is Bonnie Dundee, "red" detective. Emil Sevier, former boarder, whom Mrs. Hogarth accused of trying to rob her, is sought.

Cora Barker, theatre pianist, thought to have had an affair with Sevier, is arrested as a material witness. Other boarder suspects are: Henry Dovel, Norma Paige, Walter Styles, who had quarreled with Mrs. Hogarth; Bert Magnus, amateur scenario writer, and Daisy Shepherd.

Bonnie learns from papers in Mrs. Hogarth's trunk that the Sally Graves wrote her once a month - was her daughter, and that she lived in dread of being found by Dan Griffin, Sally's husband. Recalling the mysterious details of Sally's murder in New York June 2, Dundee concludes Griffin murdered both women and that he is now or has been a boarder in the Rhodes house.

Dundee is excited over his find of an old envelope with David's name on it, which had contained a rail ticket, showing he left New York June 2. Sevier, captured by police, insists he did not murder Mrs. Hogarth and implicates Cora. Dundee goes for Cora, who is to confront Sevier.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY "Very!" Dundee agreed, and the two men walked the remainder of the short distance to the Rhodes House in silence.

Dundee glanced up at the second story front windows. There was no light showing. Not a sound except the soft pad of their rubber-heeled shoes distributed the brooding peace. He sniffed gratefully the cool, sweet odor of new-cut grass, mingled with the fainter fragrance of sleeping flowers. Suddenly he realized he was very tired, and that he had little heart for the task he had set himself. Cora Barker had suffered enough already. It seemed inhuman to wake her now and drag her down to face the man who had pretended to love her. Perhaps even now she was dreaming of the cleaner, sweeter, less tempestuous love which had come to her - love she valued so dearly that to protect it, she had unwittingly involved herself in a murder.

Dundee sighed deeply, as he inserted his key in the lock. The low-powered hall light gave scarcely more illumination than a candle. Tiptoeing, the two detectives ascended the stairs. "Dovel's snoring," he whispered, grinning in the dark. "At least Sevier didn't lie about that." Hope we don't arouse the house, knocking on Cora's door.

He knocked softly at first, then, as there was no answer, more loudly. Odd, he would have sworn Cora was still no answer for the night. When there was still no answer he placed his lips against the crack between door and frame and called softly.

There was no answer. Dundee's hand began to shake violently as he selected a musty key. Even before he found and snatched the light switch he was sure of what that deep and sinister silence portended.

CHAPTER XXXVII "Steady, boy!" Police Commissioner O'Brien warned, as his white-faced nephew opened the door to him and Sergeant Turner 10 minutes later, stood clinging to the knob, his body swaying drunkenly. "Can't have you keeling over before Dr. Price gets here. He's on the way. This is tough on you. I know—but all in a day's work for a detective."

"I know," Dundee whiped a new string of icy sweat beads from his forehead and stood aside, to let the newcomers see the ghastly sight upon which his own eyes had rested when he had forced his way into Cora Barker's room.

"Have you touched the body?" Sergeant Turner demanded briskly. "No," Dundee pressed his knuckles against his mouth to still the quiver-

By Cowan

heard Sergeant Turner saying to Commissioner O'Brien. "Rigor mortis has already set in. I think it will be better for us to get the body to the morgue before we rouse the whole house, don't you, Commissioner?"

"Yes, by all means. Want the boys to keep a sharp watch over the boarders' rooms, but not to answer any questions. You've got three men on the grounds, haven't you?"

"Four," Turner answered. "Routine precaution. They won't find anything, unless it's another Cuban cigarette stub. We've got our man already. I guess Patrolman Callahan will rate a promotion out of this night's work, Commissioner."

He left the room, carefully and noiselessly closing the door behind him, to give the necessary instructions to the silent men posted in the downstairs and upstairs halls. In the brief moment while the door was open there was no sound of any disturbance. Apparently none of the sleeping boarders had been aroused by the quiet entry of the police upon the scene of the new tragedy.

When he returned Dr. Price, the coroner, was with him.

"Nobody's awake yet, but Mrs. Rhodes, and I aroused her myself to break the news," Sergeant Turner announced in a low voice. "You came on the ambulance, didn't you, Doctor?"

"Yes. You want to get the body away as soon as possible, I suppose," the coroner answered, as he knelt beside the body of Cora Barker.

As if through a deafening fog Dundee heard the doctor's brisk comments as he made his examination:

"Death due to strangulation . . . No fingerprints on the throat . . . Marks where the braids cut into the skin . . . It was no weakling that tied this knot, Commissioner."

"How long has she been dead?" Turner asked.

"Hmm. A little hard to tell. Rigor mortis has set in, but in some cases that happens more quickly than in others. But—at least three or four hours. I should say. I'll try to give you a more exact answer after I perform the autopsy—condition of stomach contents, etc. . . . I'll call the boys now. I've arranged a signal, to keep things as quiet as possible."

And he went to the front window, stepped out upon the porch, and waved his handkerchief to the waiting ambulance below.

Dundee drew a shuddering breath. He was glad the poor, discolored face was bowed down upon the grotesquely sprawled knees, so that he could not see it in all its horror.

"She's been dead for hours," he

"This seems to be a pretty decent bunch of people, and since it's your home, temporarily at least, I want to spare the house as much of the horror as I can," O'Brien explained to his nephew.

"That's decent of you, Uncle Pat," Bonnie Dundee thanked him.

As silently as if they were paying tribute to the dead, the ambulance attendants came up the stairs and entered the room carrying the stretcher on which Cora's body would be borne away. Sergeant Turner listened anxiously at the door, but the house was still sleeping apparently.

"Let me help!" Dundee begged as the white-jacketed men bent over the dead woman. For suddenly he could not bear the thought that only uncaring, alien hands should touch her. He sprang to the chair across which her kimono hung, then rejected the garment when he saw that it was an old, slightly soiled one. Cora would have a better one, he knew—and he found it in her closet.

There were tears in his eyes as he draped the pretty negligee of orchid chiffon and ostrich feathers about the poor, rigid shoulders. And regardless of onlookers he stooped and laid his lips lightly against the stiffening, thin, dryskinned hand which had aroused his compassion when Cora Barker was alive. He stood aside then as the body was lifted to the stretcher, and was about to turn his face away when his eyes telegraphed an amazing message to his brain.

"Look, Dr. Price!" he called urgently. "Did you notice this? Her mouth is bruised . . . Please, may I?" and he gently lifted the discolored upper lip, turned it back till it touched the nose. "Dr. Price, her lips have been pressed so hard against her teeth that the print shows plainly. See?"

"You're right," Dr. Price said slowly, as he bent to examine both lips. "But I don't quite understand."

"I do!" Dundee cried in a choking voice. "Don't you see—Uncle Pat, Sergeant Turner? Cora Barker was killed with a kiss!"

"What do you mean?" Sergeant Turner demanded incredulously.

"Oh, can't you see? I thought it was odd that she could be strangled to death without making sufficient outcry to awaken anyone. Bert Magnus' room is the nearest, and yet he evidently heard nothing, or he would have investigated, and—and found her like this. I'm glad he didn't think

going to make!" Sergeant Turner commented with morbid satisfaction. "Emil Sevier will sure go down in history as the most coldblooded murderer. (To Be Continued)



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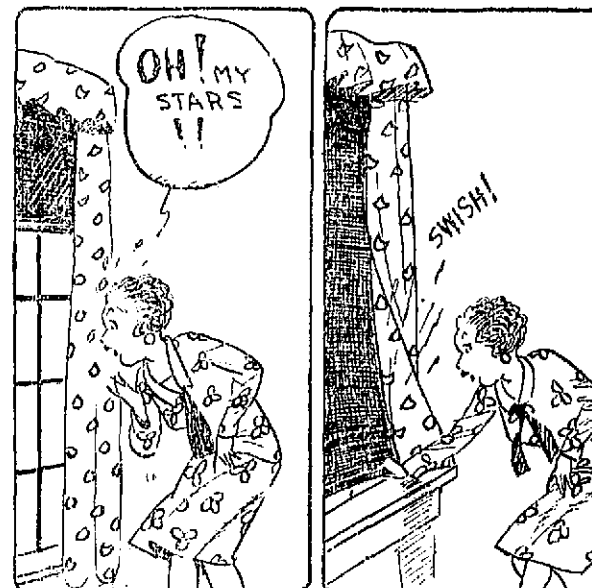
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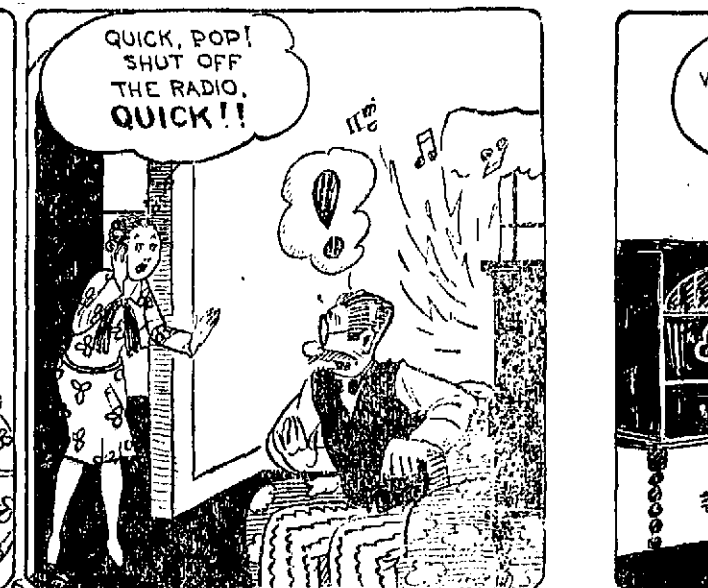
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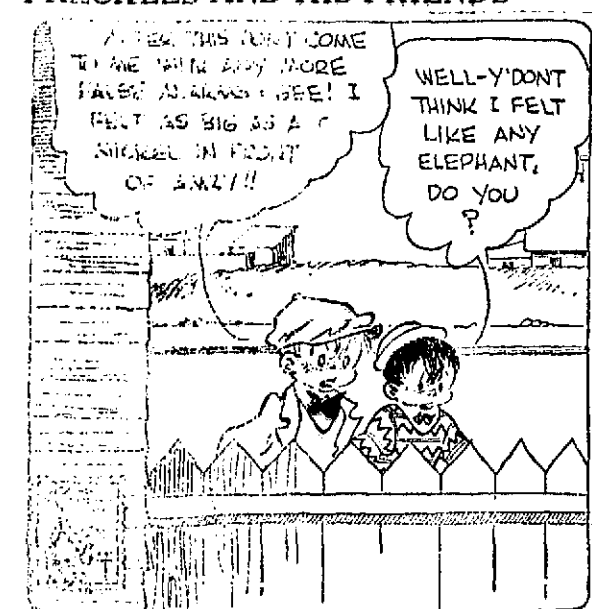
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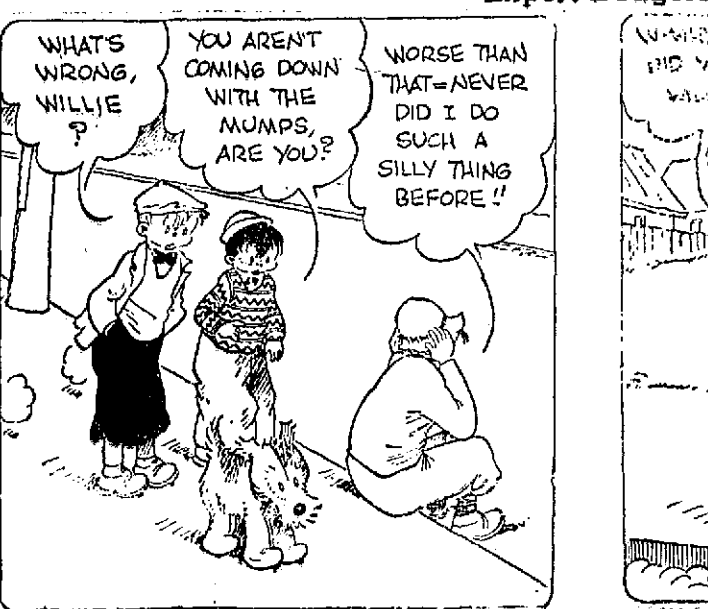
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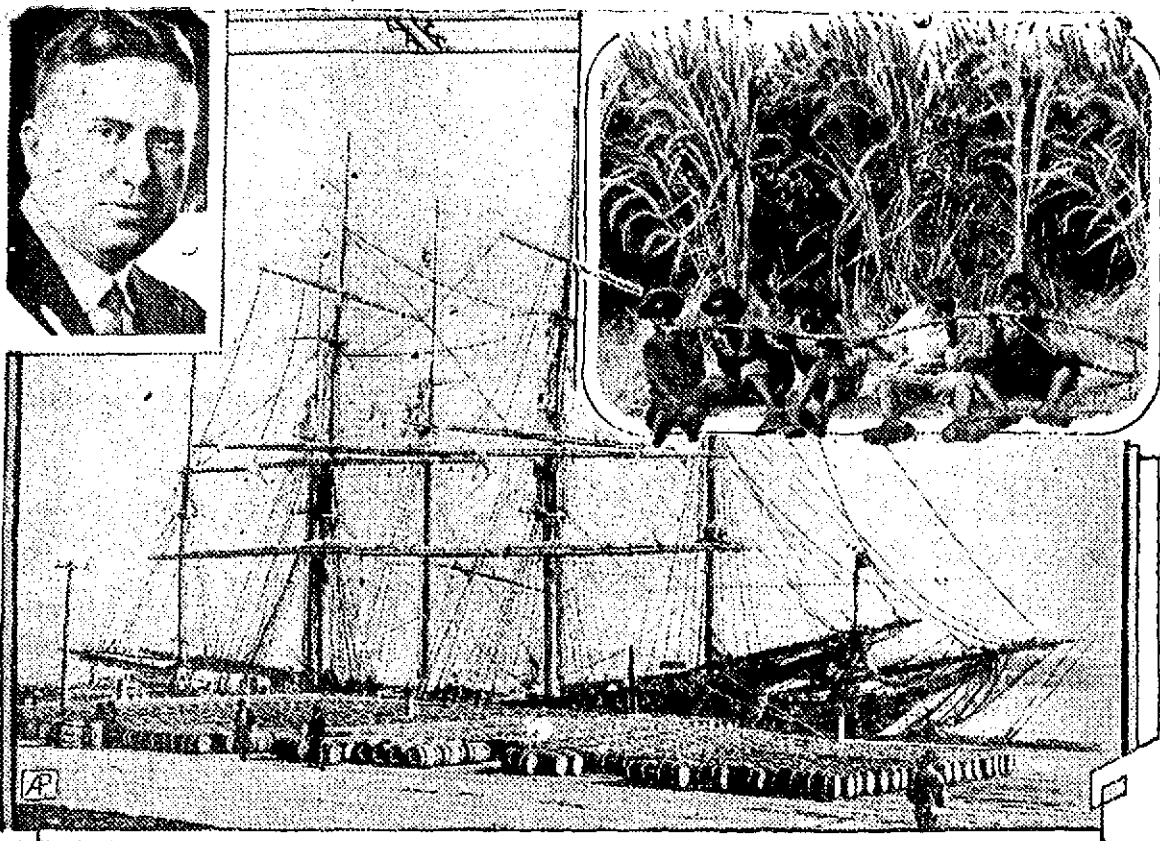
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'Way Down South in Dixie



H. S. Paine (inset) federal chemist, predicts return of the molasses boat to the Atlantic seaboard. Sailing schooner (above) awaiting its cargo of barreled molasses a generation ago. Sugar cane (upper right), the picanniny's stick candy.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 6.—(AP)—Almost as important to the American revolution as the flintlock and saber, old fashion "Orleans" molasses is pointed again for a place in the country's economic structure.

H. S. Paine, chemist in charge of the carbohydrate division, bureau of chemistry and soils at Washington, cites a great revival of interest in the golden sugary molasses once found in hogheads and barrels in every village grocery store and predicts a return of the "molasses boat" to the Atlantic seaboard.

Manufactured from Louisiana and Florida sugar cane, the molasses took its name from the fact that it was shipped chiefly from New Orleans. Until recent times, sailing schooners crawling up the coast to New York and Boston with their holds stacked full of barreled molasses were a common sight.

In colonial days molasses was one of the major articles of commerce. John Adams, the second president of the United States, quoting George Washington, wrote:

"General Washington always asserted and proved that Virginians loved molasses as well as New Englanders did. I know not why we should blush to confess that molasses was an essential ingredient in American independence. Many great events have proceeded from much smaller causes."

Paine ascribes the falling off in pro-

duction of old fashioned molasses as due largely to improvements in the manufacture of sugar and the consequent greater exhaustion of sugar from molasses, leaving a rather bitter tasting product.

However, he says, the manufacture of direct consumption sugars on the plantation still yields as a byproduct the sweet grades of molasses which are of fancy quality, besides the "blackstrap" molasses or final product of raw cane sugar manufacture as practiced in Cuba.

The bureau of chemistry and soils has established a field laboratory at Houma, La., in the heart of the Louisiana sugar cane belt, to improve

methods of clarifying cane juice. Clarification, Paine says, is an important step preliminary to recovering sugar from the juice and practically determines the quality of the sugar and molasses obtained.

Bakers and confectioners already have increased their output of molasses products in the form of cakes and candies. Many bakers are introducing molasses into wholewheat bread, as was done by the colonial housewife.

One large molasses company on the eastern seaboard again contemplates bringing full schooner cargoes into New York and Boston.

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Letters to Santa Claus

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Dear Santa: I am a little boy 12 years old. I go to school and study hard. I want you to bring me a little wagon, hammer, knife, harp, watch, chain marbles and fireworks.

Your Little Friend,
Levi Lesley Willford

I am a little boy four years old. I want an air plane, pop gun, little car, candy, nuts. Don't forget my mother and daddy.

Your friend,
Arlie Calhoun.

Dear Santa: I am a little boy. My mother said I was good. Bring me a little horse and wagon, candy. Don't forget my mother and my daddy.

Your little friend,
Raymond Calhoun.

Dear Santa: I am a little girl three years old. I want a set of dishes, big doll, fruits, candy, nuts, and don't forget my Grandma and my Grandpa.

Your friend,
Glyndell Calhoun.

Bodenaw, Arkansas

Dear Santa Claus: I want you to bring me a doll buggy and a little car, a cook stove and all kinds of fruits and candy, and don't forget a doll for me.

Your Little Friend,
Pauline Browning

Dear Santa: I want you to come and see me. Bring pecans, fruits, nuts and candy. Your friend,
Ted Purdie.

Dear Santa: Visit me this Christmas. Bring me a pop gun, wrist watch, and a shut and open fan.

Your little friend,
L. J. Purdie.

Dear Santa: Come to see me Christmas. Bring me a parol, a fan, new hed handker-

chief, apples and pecans.
Your little boy,
Ralph Hunt.

Dear Santa: Please come to see me Christmas night. Bring me a block of chewing gum, that is all for me this time.

Your little girl,
Villie Pickard.

Dear Santa: I want some candy, fruits, nuts, fireworks, A. B. C. book, catfish, monkey that climbs the string. Thank you.

Your friend,
Ted Furtle.

Dear Santa Claus: Please don't forget to come to my house for I want a watch, gun, knife, cat fireworks, candies, fruit and nuts of all kinds. I go to school at Center-

Your Little Friend,
Alvin Sanders

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little boy five years old Santa I want you to please bring me a watch wagon, knife, train fruit, nuts of all

kinds and some fireworks and don't forget my Grandpa and Grandma.
Your Little Friend,
Leonard Sanders
Hope, Arkansas

Dear Santa Claus: I am my Mama's baby boy and don't forget me. I want some suckers, toy pistol and some sparklers, and bring me a pencil.

Your Little Friend,
Lloyd Sanders

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little girl, will be seven years old the tenth of December. I want you to bring me a dress, chifforobe, dishes, cabinet, and a doll and fruits and candy.

Your Little Friend,
Mary Lynn Jarrell

Dear Santa Claus: I'm a little fat boy one and a half years old, but a love to play with big toys. I do run away to grandma's sometimes but please bring me a tricycle, a little chair, a gun, a little dog, and lots of fruits and nuts. Don't forget both of my Grandma's.

Your Little Friend,
David Clinton Meadows

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little girl four years old. I help my mother do the little jobs that I can. such as bring in stove wood. I want you to bring me a doll, doll and candy.

Your Little Friend,
Mary Violet Ross

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little boy two years old. I see that all the work is done. I want you to bring me a knife, tractor, and lots of fruits, nuts and candies.

Your Little Friend,
Delwin Ross

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little girl nine years old. I am in the fourth grade. I want you to bring me a doll, doll bed, and lots of candy and fruits and nuts of all kinds.

Your Little Friend,
Helen Ross

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little boy five years old and I go to school. I want you to bring me a scooter, ball, and nuts and fruits and don't forget my little bro-

ther and sisters.
Your Little Friend,
Harrison Earl Ross
Fulton, Arkansas

Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a doll with hair, her head and a machine and a of gloves some candy, apples, nuts, fireworks and a trunk full of doll clothes, a sweater, some scissors, a needle and thread.

Your Little Friend,
Cora Calvin

Dear Santa Claus: For this Christmas I want you to bring me a doll, a doll bed, rubber ball, doll blanket, and a hand bag.

Your Little Friend,
Lillian Betty Sutton

Dear Santa: Come to see me Christmas. I am two years old. I want some candy and that is all I ask for.

Doyle Purdie.

Dear Santa: I want you to bring me a harp ball and all kind of fire works and candy, fruit of all kinds.

Your little boy,
Herbert Purdie.

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